CONSTITUTION & BY-LAWS.

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Constitution

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of the

Pioneer Association.

Article 1st

This Society shall be called and known as the Society of California Pioneers, for the District composed of Sonoma, Napa, Marin, Mendocino and Lake Counties; it is designed to be, and is, a moral, Benevolent, Literary Association, and its objects are to cultivate social intercourse, form a more perfect union among its members, and create a fund for charitable purposes in their behalf.

To collect and preserve information connected with the early settlement and subsequent history of the Country.

To form such Libraries and Cabinets, and purchase such literary and scientific objects as the Board of Directors, may from time to time determine, and in all appropriate matters to advance the interests and perpetuate the memory of those whose sagacity, energy and enterprise induced them to settle in the wilderness, and become the founders of a new State.

Article 2nd

The Society shall be composed of but one class, all who arrived prior to the Ninth day of September A.D. 1850 shall be eligible to Membership, and the male descendents of all such, who were Members shall be eligible. Honorary members may be admitted without these qualifications, in accordance with such provisions as may be made in the By Laws.

Article 3d

Any person duly qualified, desiring to become a Member, shall be proposed, and ballotted for in a manner to be prescribed in the Bye Laws.

Article 4th

Each person on admission shall pay such fees as shall be prescribed by the Bye Laws; and all funds arising therefrom, or from Monthly dues, or from donations (unless said donations are given for other specific purposes) shall after the current expenses of the Society have been paid be devoted solely to the purpose for which in Article One, it is declared that this Society is instituted.

Article 5th

This Society shall consist of a President and five Vice Presidents Secretary, four Corresponding Secretaries, a Treasurer, Marshal, and a Board of three Directors; the Vice Presidents shall be selected one for each County, and of Corresponding Secretaries, one for each County except Sonoma.

Article 6th

Stated Meetings of this Society for the transaction of business, shall be held quarterly, and at such other times as the President shall deem necessary. The Annual Meeting for the Election of Officers shall be held in the

in the Month of September, thirty days notice to be given thereof by order of the President and at such Meeting the Annual report of the Officers shall be made.

Article 7th

The Officers of the Society shall be elected by ballot, and shall hold Office for one year, and until their Successors are elected.

Article 8th

The Board of Directors shall meet for business quarterly, and a majority of the Board may fill any vacancies which may occur in its own body. The President Secretary and Treasurer shall be ex-Officio members of the Board, a majority of whom must be present in order to form a quorum, for the transaction of business

Article 9th

This Constitution shall not be altered or amended unless by a vote of two thirds of the Members present at a Stated Meeting; and all such alterations and amendments shall be proposed at least one Month prior to such stated Meeting. But it shall not be in the power of this Society to alter the qualifications for Membership named in Article 2 of this Constitution

Article 10th

The President shall preside at all Meetings of the Society, and of the Board of Directors, and shall determine the order of business in each. He shall strictly enforce the provisions of the Constitution and Bye Laws, and see that all Officers and Committees perform their respective duties; he shall sign all laws, resolutions and orders passed by the Board of Directors; he shall neither make nor second any motion or resolution, nor take part in any debate while in the Chair; he shall inspect and announce the result of all ballottings or other votings of the Society. Any Vice President, in the absence of the President, shall exercise the same power and authority as the President

Article 11th

The Vice Presidents of each County may call special Meetings in their respective Counties to receive the names of such persons who may desire to become Members, and through his Corresponding Secretary, transmit the same (agreeably to the Bye Laws) to the Recording Secretary.

Article 12th

The Secretary shall keep correct minutes of all proceedings of the Society and Board of Directors; shall record its Bye Laws, Rules and Ordinances in a Book, to be kept solely for such purpose; shall preserve a register of the names of its Members, and keep a correct account therewith, and shall collect and pay over to the Treasurer all moneys due the Society, he shall be

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responsible for the safe keeping of all the Books and papers belonging to the Society excepting those of the Treasurer, He shall certify all accounts and records under the direction of the Board of Directors; and shall countersign all orders on the Treasurer; signed by the President. He shall make reports of his account at such times as may be required by the Society; shall report the name of each Member in arrears to the Society immediately preceding the election of Officers, and shall be exempt from the payment of dues, and serving on Committees. He shall when directed by the President give the Members and Board of Directors proper notice of all Meetings and shall perform the duties of Corresponding Secretary. He shall be ex Officio Librarian of the Society, shall receive all Books, maps, pamphletts, records, magazines etc which may be purchased for or donated, or loaned to the Society, and be responsible for the same, and shall keep a record of the names of such donors; he shall also perform such other duties as may be assigned to him by the Board of Directors, and shall give such bond as the Board of Directors may direct

Article 13th

The duties of Corresponding Secretary of the respective Counties shall be to keep a minute of the Meetings called by the Vice Presidents of his respective County; to receive the names of such persons who desire to become members of the Society from the Vice President, with initiation fee and three months dues, and transmit the same to the Secretary for the purpose of election etc also to receive all books, papers, magazines etc, as may be presented to the Society, and transmit the same to the Secretary, with the names of persons who may donate the same.

Article 14th

The Treasurer shall keep a Book, in which he shall record all receipts and disbursements, and shall report the same annually, or at such periods as the Society may require. He shall pay no moneys without an order signed by the President, and countersigned by the Secretary. At the expiration of his term of Office he shall deliver all books, papers, monies vouchers and other property belonging to the Society in his possession, into the hands of his successor, and shall give such bond for the faithful performance of his duties as may be ordered by the Board of Directors.

Article 15th

The Regalia of the Society shall be as follows:

The Regalia of the President shall be a scarf of gold lace trimmed with silver bullion, with cross mallets of silver attached.

Ex Presidents may at their option wear the past Regalia, or a red rosette with cross mallets of silver attached

That of the Vice Presidents shall be a silver scarf with cross Axes of silver attached.

That of the Secretaries shall be a red rosette with cross ax and Pen of silver attached

That of the Treasurer shall be a red rosette with a cross ax and key of silver attached

That of the Members shall be a red rosette with green centre, on which shall be a golden P

That of the Honorary Members shall be a blue rosette.

All of the silver insignia of office shall be worn on the left breast

Article 16th

The Librarian shall have full charge and control of the rooms occupied by the Society subject to the direction of the President and Board of Directors, and for his services shall receive such remuneration, as may provided in the Bye Laws.

Article 17th

Members guilty of misconduct may upon conviction (after a proper investigation) be expelled, suspended, fined or reprimanded, by a vote of two thirds of the Members present at any stated Meeting.

Bye Laws.

Section 1st

Each person on admission as a member of this Society, shall pay into the treasury the sum of two dollars and fifty cents, and shall sign the Constitution with his name in full, together, with his place of birth, residence, occupation and the day, month and year of his arrival within the limits of this State: and any person residing within the district, who shall for six months after his election, neglect to pay his initiation fee and sign the Constitution shall be considered as having declined to become a Member

Section 2nd

Every Member of this Society over the age of eighteen years, shall pay into its treasury the sum of twenty five cents per Month, quarterly in advance; any Member who shall neglect for six months to pay such dues shall be stricken from the roll; but upon payment of all arrearages shall by that act be restored.

Section 3d

Any member who shall be in arrears for dues for more than six Months, Shall be ineligible to office, and shall not be entitled to vote at any meeting or to enjoy the honors of this Society in any manner.

Section 4th

On the payment of twenty five dollars by any Member, he shall be released from all further payment of dues, and shall be considered a life Member of the Society.

Section 5th

All moneys received for life membership shall constitute a special fund, to be invested at interest, the principal shall be kept intact though the interest may be placed in the general fund.

Section 6th

Any person who shall become a member fraudently, by making a false entry of the time of his arrival within the limits of this State may be expelled, from the Society by a vote of two thirds of the Members present at any stated Meeting.

Section 7th

Every applicant for membership shall be proposed by a member of the Society, who shall present the Secretary with his full name, place of residence, occupation, and the date of his arrival in California all of which the Secretary shall record in a Book of Registry, to be provided for the purpose, the said Candidate may be elected by a two third vote of

of the members present, no applicant shall be considered a Member of the Society until his fee be paid to the Secretary.

Section 8th

The President shall have power to grant leave of absence to any Officer of the Society for a period not exceeding three months, and to appoint some suitable person to perform the duties of such Office during his absence; provided that any Officer desiring leave of absence shall give the President at least one week' notice thereof

Section 9th

Whenever it shall be notified to the Board of Directors that any Officer of the Society is absent from the District, and has been so absent for a longer period than three months, the Board may thereupon declare the Office vacant, and appoint some other person to fill the vacancy.

Section 10th

Each member when speaking shall address the presiding Officer and when called to order by him shall immediately take his seat, but he may appeal from such order, and a majority of the members present may reverse it.

Section 11th

In debate no member shall be personal in his remarks.

Section 12th

All motions if required by the chair shall be made in writing, and read by the mover at his seat before offering.

Section 13th

No Member of the Society under the age of eighteen years shall be entitled to vote at any of its meetings, nor shall be charged with monthly dues

Section 14th

The Society may elect as honorary Members such persons as shall have rendered any distinguished or important services to the Society the State or the United States.

Section 15th

The Board of Directors shall fix the amount and approve the bonds of the Treasurer and Secretary, which bonds shall be placed in the possession of the President for safe keeping, and shall determine the compensation to be paid to the Secretary,

Section 16th

The Board of Directors shall constitute the auditing Committee who shall examine all accounts against the Society; and no bill or ac

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account shall be paid by the Treasurer unless the same shall have been endorsed "Approved" and signed by the Chairman of that Committee, nor until it shall have been signed by the President, and countersigned by the Secretary

Section 17th

In case of the decease, or resignation of the President, Secretary or Treasurer of the Society, the Board of Directors shall call a meeting of the Society within thirty days thereafter, when a Successor may be elected to fill the unexpired term of such office

Section 18th

All real estate acquired by the Society, and all monies invested shall be held in trust for the use of the Society, in the names of the President Secretary and Treasurer, and their Successors in Office.

Section 19th

The President, on the decease of any Member in good standing, shall call a meeting of the Society; and the obituary and resolutions passed at any such Meeting shall be published in the papers of the District and the Secretary shall communicate the proceedings to the family or relatives of the deceased

Section 20th

When the Board of Directors shall be satisfied that any worthy member of the Society is unable, for the time being to pay the monthly dues hereinbefore provided for, it shall have power to remit such dues, but if any Member of this Society having the ability to pay the monthly dues hereinbefore provided for, shall refuse to pay the same and shall not, at the time of such refusal render an excuse, that in the opinion of the Board of Directors shall be satisfactory, he shall be debarred from visiting the rooms of the Society, subject however to the vote of the Society

Section 21st

It shall be the duty of the Committee on Publications, every six months to inspect the records of the Secretary, and report if such records (as well of the general Society as of the Board of Directors) are regularly written up, in a precise correct and handsome manner, and signed by the proper Officers of the Society.

To take a copy of such transactions, together with the reports of Standing Committees, and Special Committees, Addresses Orations, poems, and other Original papers, and prepare them for publication under the title of "Transactions of the Society of California Pioneers"

Section 22nd

The President shall have power, and he shall appoint a Committee of two Members in each County, who shall constitute a Charity Committee

Committee

with power to draw upon the Treasurer for any sum not exceeding ten dollars at any one time for the relief of a distressed worthy member of this Association, his Wife Widow or Orphans

Standing Rules and Orders

Order of Business

1st

Reading, correction, and approval of the Minutes of the preceding meeting

2nd

Reading of the proceedings of the Board of Directors.

3d

Election of New Members.

4th

Reports of Standing Committees.

5th

Reports of Special Committees.

6th

Notices, Motions, and Resolutions.

Prerogatives, and Duties of the President

7th

The President shall preserve order and decorum, may speak to questions of order in preferance to other members, and shall decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Society by any two Members.

8th.

He shall have a general direction of the Hall. He shall have the right to call any Member to perform the duties of the Chair but such substitution shall not extend beyond an adjournment.

9th

There shall be such Standing Committees appointed by the Chair as the Society shall from time to time determine, and the Members thereof shall hold their Offices during the pleasure of the President.

Order and Decorum.

10th

If any Member in speaking or otherwise transgresses the Rules of the Society, the President shall, or any Member may call him to order in which case the Member so called to order shall immediately set down unless permitted to explain, and if called to order by a Member, such Member shall immediately state the point of order, if the point of order be sustained by the Chair, the Member shall not be allowed to proceed

but if it be not sustained, then he shall be permitted to go on, no discussion of a question of order shall be allowed, unless an appeal be taken from the decision of the Chair

11th

When two or more members shall rise at once, the President shall name the Member who has the floor

Motions

12th

No motion shall be debated until the same be seconded and distinctly announced by the President, and, if desired by the President or a Member, shall be reduced to writing, and be read by the Secretary, before the same shall be debated. A motion or resolution may be withdrawn at any time before amendment or decision.

13th

A motion to adjourn, or to fix the time to which the Society will adjourn shall always be in order (except when a member is on the floor) and shall be taken without debate.

14th

When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received but — to adjourn; to lay on the table; for the previous question; to postpone to a certain day; to commit or amend; or to postpone indefinitely; which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are named, but the first three shall be decided without debate; and all incidental questions of order, arising after a motion is made for the previous question (whether on appeal or otherwise) shall be decided without debate

15th

The previous question shall only be put when demanded by three or more Members.

16th

No motion or proposition on a subject different from that under consideration, shall be admitted as an amendment; but a substitute, covering the same matter shall be deemed and held to be an amendment and be treated in all respects as such.

17th

In filling up blanks; the least sum and the shortest time shall be first put

18th

When the reading of any paper is called for, and the same is objected to by any Member it shall be decided without debate

19th

At the next stated Meeting succeeding that on which a final vote

Vote on any question has been taken said vote may be reconsidered on the motion of any Member; provided notice of intention to move such reconsideration shall have been given at the Meeting when such final vote was taken, by a Member voting with the majority; but it shall not be in order to move a reconsideration at the same Meeting at which such final vote was taken; said motion of reconsideration shall have precedence over every other motion, except a motion to adjourn.

20th

No standing rule of the Society shall be rescinded or changed except by a vote of two thirds of the Members, when there are not less than thirty or more present.

21st

The rules of parliamentary practice contained in Cushing's Manual shall govern the Society in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the standing rules of the Society.

	Names	Place of Birth	Residence	Occupation	Time of Arrival
	Nicholas Carriger	Tennessee	Sonoma	Farmer & Vintner	September 22nd 1846
deceased	P. Rayman	Phil^a Pa	Petaluma	Lawyer	July 5th AD1849
	John Selling	Germany	Petaluma	Merchant	June 30. 1849
	Jas. M. Palmer	North Carolina	Petaluma	Farmer.	Sept 19th 1849
	Robert A. Spence	Tennessee	Sonoma	Farmer	Sept 22 1846
	William Montgomery Boggs B 1826,	Missouri	Napa City	Farmer	Nover 1846
DECEASED	Harlow Hickston B May 6th 1800	New York	Sonoma City	Farmer	September 1st 1850

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	John F. Green	Virginia	Sonoma	Sheriff	Oct. 5th 1849
	Chas. Humphries	Virginia	Pet. Sonoma	Dep. assessor	July 31st 1850
	John Cavanagh	Dublin Ireland	Pet. Sonoma	Lumber Merchant	Augt 23rd 1850.
	Saml. McDonogh	Ireland	Petaluma	Storekeeper	Oct 1849
	John M. Roberts	N Carolina	Lakeville	Farmer	Sep 18th /49
	Jas. H Lane	Indiana	Petaluma	Farmer	Sept 1st 1850
died Dec 22nd 1882	Geo. W. Oman	Pennsylvania	Petaluma	Porkpacker	Jan 28th 1847
deceased	Anderville G. Medley	Kentucky	Petaluma	Watchmaker	20th Aug 1850.
	Jeremiah Beam	Newyork	Petaluma	furniture dealer	4th Sept 1849
	W. W. Carpenter	Dutchess Co N.Y	Petaluma Residence	Physician	April 11th 1850
Died Aug. 1883	A. Baruch	Germany	Petaluma	Merchant	September 1849
	W H Brady,	North Carolina	Petaluma	Saloon Keeper	August 28th AD 1850
	N. O. Stafford	New York	Petaluma	Carriage maker	Aug 8th 1850
	L C Woodworth	Ohio	Petaluma	Staing	September 1847

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	Moses Powell	Mississippi	Vallejo, Sonoma Co	Farmer	June 28th AD1849
	John Neil	Scotland	Sonoma	Farmer	Jany 20th 1850
	Joab Powell	Utah Territory	Sonoma Co	Farmer	June 28th AD1849
	A. P. Petit	Phila Penna	Santa Rosa	Architect & Builder	August 25th AD1849
	John Powell	Richmond Co Georgia	Sonoma County	Farmer	June 28th AD1849
	Thos Rockford	Ireland	Petaluma	trader	August 15th 1850
Deceased.	J. A. Poppe	Prussia	Sonoma	Farmer & Merchant.	Born December 12th 1823. arrived Feby 22nd 1850.
	C. W. Lubeck	Sweden	Sonoma	Real Estate Agent & Farmer	June 28th 1850.
	A. Long	Missouri	Sonoma	Constable	Septr ~~March~~ 1st 1850
	Wm Dorman	Germany	Sonoma	Cooke	March 14 18
	Howard Clarke	Mass	Sonoma	Farmer	July 6th 1849
deceased	John Heeb	Germany	Sonoma	Farmer Vintner	March 21st 1847

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	George W. Lewis	Missouri	Sonoma	Clerk	Sep. 22. 1846
	Lewis Adler	Germany	Sonoma	Merchant	Nov 24 1846
	Wm E. McConnell	Tennessee	Sonoma	Lawyer	Sept 1st 1850
deceased	Wm S. Reynolds	London	S. F.	Shipwright	April 18 1839
	Wm McPherson Hill	Pennsylvania	Sonoma	Farmer & Vintner	August 3. 1849.
Deceased March 2nd 1880.	G. T. Pauli	Germany	Sonoma	Merchant	May 31. 1849.
	Albert B. Canizo	California	Sonoma	Farmer	Feb. 13. 1850
	Ch. Wise	[illegible]	Sonoma	Farmer	July 1850
	Wm Green	New York	Sonoma	Shipping Merchant	March 1847
+	Antone Vrijpenstapel	Germany	Sonoma	Carpenter	May 20. 1850

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	L. W. Mayer	Germany	Sonoma	Winegrow	28 Jan. 1847.
	Friedrich Keller.	Germany	Sonoma	Farmer	Sept. 1850
	John Abbott	Maine	Sonoma	Carpenter	Feb 22nd 1850
	W B Read	Ohio	Sonoma	Blacksmith	Dec 1846
	D. D. Davisson	Indiana	Sonoma	Farmer	Sept 1850
deceased	Andreas Mitt.	Prussia	Sonoma	Farmer	August 1850
	Humphrey Hill	Penna	Sonoma	Farmer	July 1850
	John Cooper	California	Sonoma	Farmer	Sept. 15 1849
Deceased Apr. 3/83.	Frank Oettl	Landeck Tyrol	Sonoma	Hotelkeeper	August 14. 1850

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deceased +	Vitor Faure	France	Sonoma	Doctor	July 19th 1850.
	Albert V. Faure	France	Sonoma	Winemaker	July 19 1850
	Gaspard Victorin Bobin	France	Sonoma	farmer	July 19 1850
	Antoine Pierre Augarde	France	Sonoma	farmer	July 19 1850
	Joseph H Williams	Pa	Sonoma	farmer Planter	August 6 1850
Dead —	Dr Black	France	Sonoma	Farmer	June 1845
	Bassignano Agostino	Italia	Sonoma	Jardinier	15 9bre 1849.
	O W Craig	New hampshire	Sonoma	Farmer	July 6 1849
	David Cook Born AD 1804 July 18th	Kentucky	Sonoma	Farmer	October 49.
	Solomon H Ccriger	Tennessee	Sonoma	Farmer	Setember 22d 1846

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R T Fowler	England	Sonoma	Farmer	Feb 24th 1849
M Donahue	Ireland	Sonoma	Teamster	September 1849
James Clarke	Ireland	Sonoma	Farmer	August 8th 1849
George Tomkins B 30 July 1816	London	Sonoma	Farmer	August 27th 1850

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George N Cornwell	New York	Napa City	Sheriff	March 20th 1847
William Montgomery	Vermont	Napa	Farmer	June 20 - 1849
E Biggs	Pennsylvania	Napa	Teamster	Augt 24. 1849
David Hudson	Missouri	Napa City	Farmer	Oct 15th 1845
J. H. McCord	New Jersey	Napa	Farmer	Augt 26th 1849
Henry Kruse	Bremen Germany Ohio	Napa	Farmer	Dec 27th 1846
deceased. Louis Brück	Germany	Napa	Clerk	Sept 1. 1849
J. L. Rouner	Indiana	Napa	Miner	Augt 26. 1850
Patrick Sharvein	Ireland	Napa	Farmer	August 1849
David Ripley	Ohio	Napa Co	Farmer	July 28. 1850
Thomas Earl	Canada W.	Napa	Mechanic	August 10th 1850
Joseph Henry	Ohio	Napa	Farmer	October 1st 1849
Edw. T. Bale Jr	Native of Cal	Napa	Clerk	
Thos. B. Hopper	Missouri	Napa	Farmer	Septr 9 1847
deceased Charles Hopper Born July 1st 1800	Tennessee Hon: Member	Napa	Farmer	Sept 9th 1847

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deceased.	G. P. Swift (Hon: Member)	Kentuckey	Solano	Farmer	June 15 1844
	Peter Van Bever	Belgium	Napa	Merchant	May 3 - 1850
	John W Sharp	Massachusett	Napa	Hotel Keeper	May 7 1850
	Dwight Spenser	N York	Napa	Farmer	August 16th 1849
	D. W. Mansfield	Massachts	Napa	Farmer	Sept 6th 1849
deceased.	Wm Gunton	Tennessee Nov 8. 1832	Napa	Saloon keeper	Aug 5th 1850
	B. W. Diffenduffer	Baltimore	Napa	Staging	April 2 AD 1850
	Robert Gedney Merrett B July 10th 1808	New York	Napa	Tailor	March 26. 1847
	H. K. Clark	Vermont	Sonoma County	Farmer	July 14th 1850
	V S Cook	Kentuckey	Sonoma County	Farmer	Sept 1 1850
	Patrick McGratian	New York	Sonoma County	Farmer	August 1845
	Andrew Hixson	Missouri	Sonoma Cy	Farmer	Sept 1st 1850
	S M Shimer	North Carolina	Sonoma	Farmer	Sept 1849
	~~John Brown~~	~~Virginia~~	~~Sonoma~~	~~Lawyer~~	~~July 29 1849~~
	John Brown	Tennessee	Lawyer	Sonom Co.	July 29. 1849.

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Saml Brown	Missouri	Sonoma Cy	Clergyman	8 Oct AD1849
John Thomas Tortson	Georgia	Sonoma Co	Depty Clerk	16th July 1850.
John F Boyce	New York	Sonoma Co	Physician	28 Aug 1850
O S Allen	Ky	Sonoma	Physician	July 28th 1850
John K. Smith	Illinois	Sonoma Co	Farmer	Feb 1850
Robert Jones	Scotland	Sonoma Cy	Waterman	3d Augt 1850
James Fulton	Indiana	Sonoma	Farmer	Sept 12. 1849
H. G. Potts	Tenessee	Sonoma "	Gentleman	Octy AD1849
John Murday (Ireland)		Sonoma Cy	Farmer	August 15th 1849
Benjamin Joy	England	Sonoma	Manufacturer	July 24th 1850
Pelham Sedgeley	Maine	Sonoma Cy	Livery Stable Keeper	April 3d 1850
James A. Pugh	Ohio	Sonoma Cy	Farmer	August 27 1850
David Chamberlain	New York	Sonoma Cs	Farmer	Sept AD1848
D D Phillips	Kentucky	Sonoma	Farmer	Sept 49

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	William Board	Missouri	Sonoma Cy	Stock Raiser	Dec 15th 1849
	Thomas H. Pyatt	New Jersey	Sonoma	Under Sheriff	Aug 5th 1849
	Israel Potter	Rhode Island	Sonoma	Sheriff	Aug 10th 1849
	Edward Nebbett	Virginia	Sonoma	Merchant	Aug 24th 1849
	Samuel H. Hyman	Poland	Sonoma Cy	Merchant	Aug 21st 1850
	A. J. Mills	New York	Sonoma Cl	Farmer	July 6th 1850
deceased.	Ad. Kohle	Germany	Sonoma Cy	Brickmaker	November 1849
	John Henry Jeffs	California	Sonoma	Mecht.	Born Oct 20 1852
	Jm White	Virginia	Sonoma	Miner	July 3d 1849
	Hiram, H. Lewis	Kentuckey	Sonoma	Farmer	Sept 17th 1849
	B Hom	Germany	Sonoma	Farmer	May 1849
	Michael T. McElduee	Tennessee	Sonoma	Farmer	Oct 5th 1848
	William R. Morris	Missouri	Sonoma	Clerk	Sept 11th 1849
	William McCoberman	Kentuckey	Sonoma	Farmer	Oct 12 1849
	Joseph, Wright	Missouri	Sonoma	Farmer	Oct 12 1849

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dead	William Ross	Pennsylvania	Sonoma Co.	Lawyer	Nov. 1849.
Deceased.	Edward P. Colgan	New York	Sonoma	Hotel Keeper	Nov 1849
Deceased March 2nd 1880 / Same Recorded on Page 25	Gustave T. Pauli born Augst 18th 1827.	Germany	Sonoma	Merchant	May 1849.
	Joshua S Brackett	New Hampshire	Sonoma	Dairyman	July 27th 1849
	John W Caster 6	N.B. Nova Scotia	Sonoma County	Farmer	June 29th 1850
	John Lutgens.	Germany	Sonoma	Hotel Keeper	Aug 1 1850.
	William Hood	Scottland	Sonoma	Ranchera	July, 12. 1846
	Wm Potter	Indiana	Sonoma		August 1850
Dead.	Valentine D. Doub	Maryland	Marin.	Dep Clk	Sept 10th 1849
	A. Barney	New York	Marin	Editor	Sept. 10th 1849
	John Reynolds	Sweden	Marin Co	Co Clerk	April 1st 1849.
	Levin C. Hubbard	Maryland	Marin Co	Laborer	June 3d 1849.
	John Stewart	California	Sonoma		
deceased +	E N Boynton	New York	Napa City	Druggist.	Sept 1st 1850
	~~Patrick Shearin~~	~~Ireland~~	" "	~~Farmer.~~	~~Sept. 1849~~
	W. W. Stillwagon	Pennsylvania	Napa City	Physician	Aug 1st 1850

David W. Carriger Sonoma. Dec 20 1847 Bound

Deceased

Saml H Rupe Born in Lafayette County Mo May 19th 1823
Arrive at Placerville California July 21st 1850

Thomas Partin Born in Madison County Kentucky
Nov 29th 1803 Arrived at California 8th Sept 1845

John Knight, Atlantic ocean, Farmer
Mendocino Co - time of arrival March 1847

Joseph McCormick Born Stark County Ohio Sep 1st 1828
Arrive at Placerville Aug. 11th 1850 residence Ukiah City

Henry D. Ley. Born in Somerset England June 8. 1815
Arrived at San Francisco June 1st 1850

John W. Morris Ohio Ukiah Butcher
Sept. 12. 1849

John Cogill Sen Born in Philadelphia
Pensylvania, Born April the 25th 1819.
Arrived at San Francisco June 4th /50 by Steamer
Tennessee at San Francisco

July 28th J. H. Sturtevant Newyork Ukiah City
1850 Rancher

T. H. Hudson Missouri, Born Sep 19th 1846
Residence Ukiah. Occupation Druggist.

James R. Moore, Kentucky, Born Dec 22d 1833
Residence Ukiah. Occupation Liquor Dealer
Arrived 22d August 1850.

M. C. Briggs, Missouri, Born Sep 24th 1827
Residence Ukiah, Occupation Farmer
Arrived Sep 1st 1850

Henry W. Baker Missouri. Born Oct 13th 1818
Residence Potter Valley, Occupation Farmer
Arrived July 4th 1850.

C. J. Sox, Missouri, Born Sep 10th 1825
Residence Ukiah, Occupation Liquor Dealer
Arrived Sep 1st 1850

Add A. White. Ohio, Born March 31st 1831
Residence Ukiah Occupation Liquor Dealer
Arrived Sep 2d 1850.

B. E. Edsall, New Jersey, June 2d 1826
Residence Sanel, Occupation Farmer.
Arrived July 1st 1849.

Augustus. F. Redemeyer, Hanover, Born Oct 25. 1828
Residence Ukiah, Occupation Banker,
Arrived Sep 1st 1849.

John Griffin, Connecticut. Born July 22d 1818
Residence Ukiah, Occupation Liquor Dealer
Arrived Sep 1st 1850.

S. W. Walters Pensylvania July 1823,
Residend of Ukiah City Mendocino Co.
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Dead

A. C. McDonald - New Jersey 5th Oct. 1814
arrived in California March 20th 1847
Residence Mendocino Co Cal - Stock Raiser

Wm J. March Kentucky June 13. 1815
Arrived in Cal. 5th Oct. 1846 -
Residence Mendocino Co "Farmer"

Dennis Dinliven - Born August 18th 1827
Mendocino Co - Cal - Blacksmith - 18th Aug -
1849

L. F. Eaton - Missouri - 6th Dec 1831
Mendocino Co - Blacksmith arrived Sept -
17 - 1849

Saml Orr Kentucky January 7th 1817
Ukiah Mendocino Stockraising arived Sept 1st 1850

Wm G. Alban - Ohio - Feb. 21st 1821 - Ukiah,
Mendocino Co. - Hotel Keeper - Arrived May 22d 1850

Edwin G. Alban - California - Aug 15th 1852
Ukiah Mendocino Co - Clerk -

J. L. Orr Born Missouri Mendocino Co Sheapard
Sept 1st 1850

A. J. Lafever - Tenn - Nov 14th 1827 - Potter Valley
Mendocino Co - Farmer & Stock raiser - arrived - Oct 22d 1849

W. B. Hagans - Born - Kentucky - Mendocino Co - Baker arrival 8th September 1849

Charles Hazelrigg Born - Indiana Mendocino - Teamster - 1st January 1850

Lake Port

Lindsey Carson, Born Sept 11th 1818. Missouri Farmer Lake County. Arrived April 1st 1849.

Wm H. Manlove Born July 2nd 1817. Virginia Residence Lake County California Farmer Arrived 1st. Sept AD 1849.

Thomas Allen Born Missouri Residence Lake County ocupation Under Sheriff time of arrival Oct 7th 1846

John C. Crigler Born Kentucy Dec 21st 1819 Residence Lake Co Cal. Ocupation Ranchero Arrival August 17th 1849

Joseph Henry Moore Born Mosuri May 18th 1842 Residence Lake Co Cal Ocupation Saloon Keeper time of arrival 1847

James William Boggs Born in Mosuri Aug 10th 1848 Residence Lake Co Cal Ocupation Farmer time of arrival August 20th 1850

John Jay Goodin Born Mo July 15th 1829 Residence
Lake County California Occupation Farmer
Arrival Sept 4th 1850

J B Hollaway Born February 2nd 1829
Sumner County Tennessee, Residence Lake
County Occupation Farmer. arrival Sept 1st /50

Romulus Kennedy Birth place New York
Born Nov 22nd 1822. Residence Lake County
Occupation Carpenter. Arrival July 3rd 1850

John T. Shinn Birth place Maryland
Born Sept 1825 Residence Lake County
Occupation Brick Mason. Arrived Sep 1st 1850

Capt Edwd Barry Birth place Philidelphia P.A
1814 Residence Lake County Occupation Builder
arrived July 15th 1849 Bark Norman of Nantucket
Capt John Gardener

Deceased 1889

R. L. Kilburn Came to California Sept 1842
Born Lawrenceville Tioga Co Pa, July 3rd 1810
I reside at Calistoga Napa Co Cala
Occupation Farmer
Mr Kilburn was elected Honorary Member

deceased

Peter George Storm - came to California
Dec. 1840. - Born in Norway - Now resides
in Calistoga. Born Sept 1, 1799.
Honorary Member

Peter G Storm

Henry H. Brower Came to California Sept 2^d 1849
Born in Monmouth Co New Jersey Jan 25th 1814 I reside
in Napa Co Napa City Occupation Farmer

H. H. Brower

Deceased

Henry Ball Come to Califiorna March the 9 1850
Born in Yarmouth the County of Norfolf England
in the year 1832 Reside Napa City ocupation Saloon Keeper

Robert Albion Poppe (Son of J A Poppe)
born in the city of San Francisco.
Dec 19th 1854 — Residence Sonoma —
occupation — Clerk. —

Charles Julius Poppe (Son of J A Poppe)
born in the town of Sonoma Sonoma
County California November 21st 1853
Residence Sonoma, occupation Clerk.

Names	Birth place	Residence post office	Occupation	Date of Immigration
Wm P Boyce	Baltimore	Calistoga	Carpenter	August 1850.
Henry Owsley	E. Tennessee	Calistoga	Farming	Oct 1846
J. W. Harlan	Maine	Calistoga	Merchant	Sept 27 1846
J. L. Cook	Greene N.Y.	Yountville	Laborer	Oct 10 1849
B. L. Cook	Mo	Sonoma	Teamster	Oct 10. 1849
R J Preston	Ireland	Sonoma	Merchant	June 21 1850
Aaron Salaman	London	Eq. Sonoma	Watchmaker	July 1850
Constancy Talbot	Ill	Petaluma	[illegible]	April 1850
decd E. Latapie	Ky	Santa Rosa		May 1849
David Jones	South Wales	Sonoma	Stone Mason	July 11th A.D. 1850.
deceased John G Wilson	Sweden	Sonoma	Marchant	September the 1. 1850.
Horatio Appleton	Baltimore	Sonoma	Vintner	July 6th 1849.
Charles Stewart	Kentucky	Sonoma City	Farmer	Sept 22 1846.
L. A. Norton	New York	Healdsburg	Attorney	July 28th 1850
Sanford Bennett	New York	Healdsburg	Farmer	Sept 1849.
Charles Alexander	Ill	Healdsburg	Farmer	July 14 1850
D. H. Alders	Kenty Ky	Haldsburg	Miner	April 26 1850
W. T. Allen	Illinois	~~Fa~~ Farmer		
Joel Ragan		Dry Creek	Farmer	Jan, 1850.
	Tennessee	Dry Creek	Capitolest	Aug 25 1849
Berthold Hoen	Nassau	Windsor	wine maker	May 1849

Benjamin Shurtleff born in Massachusetts. Residence Napa Cal. arrived in California July 6. 1849 Physician —
— Life Member —

James Clyman First arrived in 1845 returned and
arrived in Sept 1848 for permanent Residence
Born in Fauquier County Virginia in 1791 — Occupation Hunter Farmer and Poet —

paid $2.75
John Hall Allison First arrived Sept first 1850
Born Augusta County Virginia Dec 22 1827 Emigrated to Missouri Sep. 1829

G. G. Gardiner, deceased

A F Haraszthy Arrived November 1849
Born in Hungary Born April 16th 1835 —

John S. Blagen Ohio. Healdsburg, Farmer

E H Barnes Kentucky Healdsburg Farmer
Arrived in the State Sept 1849

James Burns Gordon — Arrived Sept 3d 1849
Born in Jefferson City. Missouri April 15th 1823. Physician

	Name	Birth	Residence	Occupation	Arrival
	Chas Stappe	11/21 "53	Sonoma	Clerk	11/21 "53
deceased	Orrick Johnny	1823.	Baltimore	Farmer	1849
	Georg. S. Hooper	1826	Sonoma	Farmer	1849

L W Mayer 1823 Sonoma Wine Gro and Wine Manufactior arrived in 1847

	Name	Birth	Residence	Occupation	Arrival
deceased	Chas. Van Geldern	26th Sept. 1816 in Germany	Sonoma	Physician	Oct. 12th 1849.
	Jerome B Walden	March 20 1829 New York	Ontario County N.Y. Napa	Constable	Aug 22d 1850

Resolutions of Respect—

At an informal meeting of the Napa Pioneers held Wednesday afternoon December 28th 1881 at Napa City,
Dr Benjamin Shurtleff was chosen Chairman and William M. Boggs Esq Secretary
The following Resolutions were adopted,

Whereas old Father Time has taken another of our little Band of early Pioneers to the Home of the Silent Majority
Resolved that in the demise of Col James Clyman, we have parted with one whose Honorable Patriotic generous and noble deeds endeared him to all

Resolved that we tender the relatives and friends of our old associate our heartfelt Sympathy in this their sad bereavement, and the usual badge of mourning be worn for a period of thirty days, by members of the California Pioneers

On motion the Chairman of the meeting was requested to name the Pall Bearers for the Occasion, whereupon the Chairman appointed the following named gentlemen, to act as Pall bearers,
Judge W. C. Wallace, Wm Edgington esq Don Cayetano Juarez W.M. Boggs Esq Hon G. N. Cornwell Dr W. W. Stillwaggon Alternates Messrs W. F. Fisher H Porterfield Thomas Earl.

On Motion E Biggs Esq was requested to take Charge in directing the Procession from the residence of the deceased

On Motion it was ordered that a Copy of these Resolutions and report of the proceedings of the meeting be furnished by the Secretary to to the Pioneer Association to be spread upon the pages of the Great Register of the Society of which the deceased is an Honorary member, and a Copy of the Resolutions forwarded to the family of the deceased—
On motion the meeting adjourned—

Benj Shurtleff
Chairman

W. M. Boggs
Secretary.

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To the President and members of the Society of Cal. Pioneers comprising Sonoma Napa, Lake, Mendocino & Marin counties. —
Gentlemen, I Beg leave to submit my report for the year ending Sept 9 1874. —

I have collected and paid to the Treas. the sum of two hundred and seventy nine 78/100 ($279 78/100) Dollars. during the time that I have been Secretary. I have sent two different notices to members being in arrears, one on the 23rd of last Sept. and one last March. — Very few members have have responded however, and I suggest that we devise some way of collecting the same. — There is owing to the Society between four and five thousand dollars for dues. — During my term of office I have received notice of the demise of several of our members. — Since our last meeting, Harry Ball died in Napa city. — I suggest also that we ascertain for what am't we could procure certificate of life membership, as a great many persons have signified their willingness of becoming life members. —

Respectfully submitted

R. A. Poppe
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